IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Atsutaka MANABE et al. Examiner: Shean Chiu WU

Serial No.: 10/564,276 Group Art Unit: 1795

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Title: LIQUID-CRYSTAL MEDIUM CONTAINING MONOFLUOROTERPHENYL

COMPOUNDS

SUBMISSION OF MISSING REFERENCES

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Sir:

In the Supplemental Notice of Allowance mailed March 20, 2008, the Examiner has indicated that various references provided in a prior IDS were not received. These references should have been furnished by the International Bureau. However, for the Examiner's convenience, copies of these references are provided herewith, along with an additional Form 1449.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees associated with this response or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-3402.

Respectfully submitted,

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